

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

SAMUEL PAUL BLAKE,

Petitioner,

-vs-

MARCUS HARDY,

Respondent.

No. 10-cv-238-DRH

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

DECISION BY COURT. This matter is before the Court on Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §2254.

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that pursuant to the order entered by this Court on September 16, 2013, the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §2254 is **DISMISSED with prejudice** as all of petitioner's claims are either procedurally defaulted, non-cognizable, or meritless.

**NANCY J. ROSENSTENGEL,
CLERK OF COURT**

**BY: s/Sara Jennings
Deputy Clerk**

DATED: September 16, 2013

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APPROVED:
CHIEF JUDGE
U. S. DISTRICT COURT